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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

rial No.: 10/662,372

Group Art Unit: 3743

Ínventors: H. Kobayashi et al.

Filed: September 16, 2003

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME AND ACCOMPANYING FEES

Commissioner for Patents PO Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

(A) Extension of Time and Requisite Fee:

The undersigned Attorney respectfully petitions the Hon. Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to extend the time for taking action in the above-identified application for a period of time indicated in the box below.

(1)	Original Period for Response was Set to Ex	pire on:
	2/8/2004	
	(Month/Day/Year)	
(2)	Statutory Period Expires	6/8/2004
		(Month/Day/Year)

Extension now requested (NOT TO EXCEED STATUTORY PERIOD) is for the following period of time from date (1) above:

	One Month	\$ 110.00
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	[] Two Months	\$ 420.00
	[X] Three Months	\$ 950.00
	[] Four Months	\$1,480.00
	[] Credit is requested for prior extension fees paid	\$
(B)	Additional Fee for Response filed herewith:	
` ,	[] Amendment (additional claims)	
	[] Notice of Appeal [] Appeal Brief	\$330.00
	[X] Declaration	\$130.00
	[] Request for Continued Examination (RCE)	\$750.00

(C) Total Fee for this Petition and any Response filed herewith:

The total fee, in the amount of \$1080.00 is to be charged to Deposit Account No. 16-2440.

Please charge any additional fee which may be required for this Petition and/or Response, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 16-2440. A duplicate copy of this paper is enclosed for the convenience of the Finance Branch.

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Praxair, Inc.

Danbury, Connecticut 06810-5113 Telephone No. (203) 837-2669 Dated: April 15, 2004

Attorney Ref.: D-21,289

Respectfully submitted,

Fee

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